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REQUEST FOR CORRECTED NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE OF APPLICATION UNDER 35 USC 371 AND 37 CFR 1.494 OR 1.495

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that a corrected Notification of Acceptance be issued in connection with the above-identified application, in order to correct the Priority Date to read --03/14/2003---.

A copy of the original Notification is returned herewith. Kindly forward the corrected Notification to the undersigned attorney of record.

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The applicant is hereby advised that the United States Patent and Trademark Office in its capacity as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495), has determined that the above identified international application has met the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 371, and is ACCEPTED for national patentability examination in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

The United States Application Number assigned to the application is shown above and the relevant dates are:

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DATE OF COMPLETION OF ALL 35 U.S.C. 371 REQUIREMENTS

A Filing Receipt (PTO-103X) will be issued for the present application in due course. THE DATE APPEARING ON THE FILING RECEIPT AS THE "FILING DATE" IS THE DATE ON WHICH THE LAST OF THE 35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(1), (c)(2) and (c)(4) REQUIREMENTS HAS BEEN RECEIVED IN THE OFFICE. THIS DATE IS SHOWN ABOVE. The filing date of the above identified application is the international filing date of the international application (Article 11(3) and 35 U.S.C. 363). Once the Filing Receipt has been received, send all correspondence to the Group Art Unit designated thereon.

The following items have been received:

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- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 01/10/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 01/10/2005
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